## PROPOSED 2021 IMC AMENDMENTS 5/3/22 MEETING

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. *International Mechanical Code* (IMC), 2015–2021 Edition, and the standards referenced in that code for regulation of construction within this state.

Amend	Section 1107.5 Pipe	Refrigerant pipe fittings shall be approved for installation with the piping materials to be installed, and shall
	<u>Fittings</u>	conform to one of more of the standards listed in Table 1107.5 or shall be approved for installation with the piping
		materials to be installed, and listed and labeled as complying with UL 109. Additionally, all fittings listed and
		labled as complying with UL 109 shall be required to be based on the pipe or tube size as specified in the "Gas
		fittings, all types" column of UL 109, Table 7.1 "Pull Strength Test". Refrigeration fittings not having male or
		female parts, shall be affixed according to allow for all performance testing specified in UL 109.
Amend	<u>Section 1108.4</u>	
	Aluminum tube	
<u>Adopt</u>	Exception	Joints for Group A2L refrigerant piping shall be brazed, approved flare, or welded joints conforming to Section
		<u>1108.3.</u>
Amend	Section 1108.5 Brass	
	(copper alloy)	
<u>Adopt</u>	<u>Exception</u>	Joints for Group A2L refrigerant piping shall be brazed, threaded or welded joints conforming to Section 1108.3.
<u>Amend</u>	Section 1108.6 Copper	
	<u>tube</u>	
<u>Adopt</u>	<u>Exception</u>	Joints for Group A2L refrigerant piping shall be brazed, threaded or welded joints conforming to Section 1108.3.
<u>Amend</u>	Section 1108.7 Copper	
	<u>tube</u>	
<u>Adopt</u>	<u>Exception</u>	Joints for Group A2L refrigerant piping shall be brazed or approved flare.
<u>Amend</u>	Section 1108.8 Steel pipe	
Adopt	Exception	Joints for Group A2L refrigerant piping shall be threaded or welded joints conforming to Section 1108.3.
Amend	Section 1108.9 Steel	
	<u>Tube</u>	
Adopt	Exception	Joints for Group A2L refrigerant piping shall be approved flared or welded joints conforming to Section 1108.3.
Amend	Reference Standard UL	Tube Fittings for Flammable and Combustible Fluids, Refrigeration Service and Marine Use, 1107.5, Table 1101.2
	<u>109-97</u>	

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